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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Lindsay S. Machan et al.
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Examiner : Uyen T. Ho
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Commissioner for Patents
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REPLY

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated November 12, 2004, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on March 12, 2005. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee.

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